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OVER THESE LIVELY PAGES

Skipping over these lively pages
Of scholarly days and ways,
Boys and girls through diverse ages
Have cast life's greatest plays.

In natural scenes of hopeful living
They've jotted down their acts:
In articles of brilliant giving
They write their naive facts.

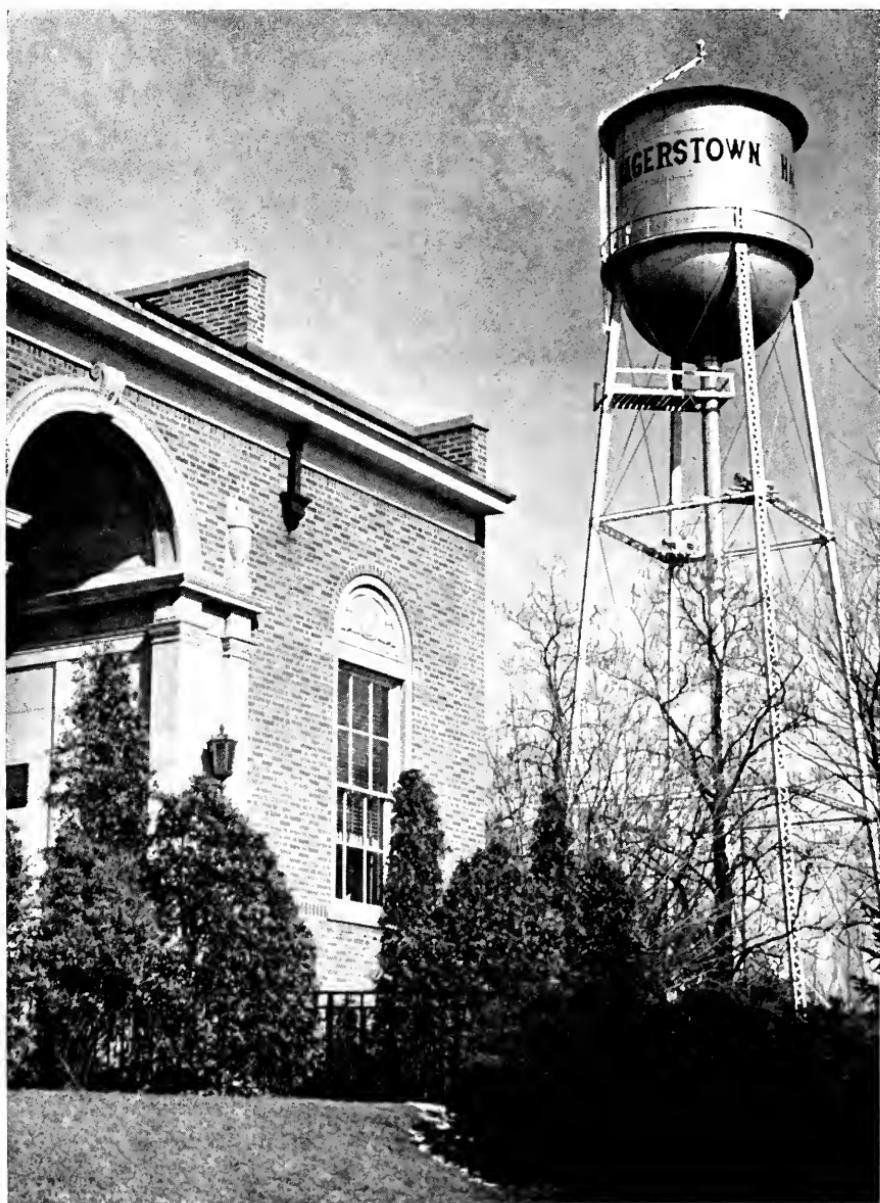
Example? Well, the Epitome:
Like a current magazine,
From earthly events to astronomy
It prints life's brimful scene.

Fashion, fiction, fact, and features,
Youth's convictions hold.
Prophecies of tomorrow's teachers
Are in the high school mold.

Here we show the vocational meshwork
In pictures, words and deeds.
The Epitome marks the students' fresh work
That will solve our future needs.

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WE LIKE IT

Call it a small town if you wish. We don't really object. But, honestly isn't it just about the most ideal spot one could possibly choose for his "home town"?

If Hagerstown is home to you, you will not be satisfied very long while you are away. You will soon have an irresistible desire to point your nose in the direction of Hagerstown, and follow it home.

You will know, also, what a

blessing it is to find in your Epitome pictures like these that bring back to mind those Hagerstown landmarks such as our very modern post office with its annual Christmas gathering, our beautiful library with the water reservoir towering high above. Finally we can gaze down our Main Street and it brings us to the realization that "back home" is the most wonderful place we have ever known.

**Looks Good
Any Time**



Kids' Day



H. H. S. MEETS VARIED INTERESTS

We are indeed fortunate at H. H. S. to have not only the "book studies" but a variety of "learn by doing" classes. Our school has realized the fact that, while book learning is necessary and certainly very valuable, there is much value also in gaining some first hand knowledge about useful arts. We firmly believe in a curriculum which provides us with experiences in doing.

We have many facilities at our disposal, such as the library, an excellent shop, a recording machine, surveying equipment, and various other things with which we may increase our scope of learning. We should certainly be proud of these things and make the best possible use of them.







**Future Farmers of America
Y-Teens, Red Cross
Council, Hi-Y, Future
Homemakers of America
Girls' Athletic Assn.**



ACTIVITIES THRIVE AT H. H. S.

Extra-curricular activities play a large part in "campus life" at H. H. S. Among the extra-curricular organizations are Hi-Y, Y-Teens, F. H. A., and F. F. A. Besides providing interesting and educational programs for their members, these organizations serve the school in many ways.

The pictures on these pages represent only a part of these organizations and their activities. The schedule which the Hi-Y furnished for the front of the gym, and the mirror which the Y-Teens installed in the girls' room in the gym are among those illustrated. In addition to these, the F. H. A. provided the student body with an interesting Christmas program. The F. F. A. (Future Farmers of America) have a program which supplements the work of the agriculture department in training future farmers.

These are only a few things which have been done in the way of activities around the school. They illustrate, however, the value of active organizations. They deserve recognition for the excellent job they have done and, we are sure, will do in the future.





CHRISTMAS COMES AGAIN

In December, time had again come for H. H. S. to don its decorations and for the Spirit of Christmas to reign supreme. Windows and blackboards were bedecked with holly wreaths and cheerful greetings. Of course, there was a small matter of Christmas Vacation, but naturally this had nothing to do with the high morale.

The student body witnessed a Christmas program given by the music and speech departments. The play, "The Miracle of the Chimes", was presented by the speech department with a musical background and additional music by the music department. The true spirit of Christmas was felt by all.

PROM RATES TOPS

Among the time honored traditions at H. H. S., the Junior Prom probably rates tops. Each year the Juniors look forward to promoting the best Prom ever. And of course each year they do have the best Prom—(just ask them.)

Every Junior and Senior looks forward with great zeal to the night of the Prom, that magic night when all cares are forgotten and all thoughts are devoted to the evening of dinner, movies, dancing, and the long way home.

Last year we, as Juniors, were the hosts. This year we look forward to some outstanding entertainment from the Class of '51. And, knowing the Class of '51, I am sure we will not be disappointed.





SCHOOL WAS NEVER LIKE THIS—

Now we have to take a course in Driver's Education to learn properly the technique of smashing up the old man's car. (Don't think he didn't!)

The thing that is really bad is to learn the effects of alcohol and tobacco from books.

How far can this possibly be carried? Oh, well, the broadening and ever expanding curriculum.

For instance, next year, two additional courses (demonstrated rather well below, we believe) are being planned to meet the increasing needs of our post-graduates, namely, FILIBUSTERING and WEIGHT LIFTING.



ENGLISH AND SPEECH

Do not be deceived by the picture as to the nature of the English and speech department. Although there is sometimes merry-making such as shown in the picture, the majority of their time is spent in serious study.

Sometimes we tend to become tired of participles, linking verbs, noun clauses, and such, and complain because, we say, "We have them year after year after year." But when this happens, we have forgotten a very important fact. That is, that our later success will depend greatly on our ability to express ourselves correctly. The better educated in English we are, the better we can do this. So the next time you feel like throwing English to the dogs, remember this —perhaps it will help to ease the pain.



orth is degenerate in these
days! There are signs that
world is coming to an end. Children
no longer obey their parents. Everybody
wants to write a book. The end is near! (A
discouraged Egyptian priest more than 4000 years ago)



DRAMA AT ITS PEAK

This year the senior class pulled a surprising punch in side stepping the usual comedy farce in favor of a play of a more serious nature.

The theatre-goers of Hagerstown, as well as the cast, wondered about the success of "The Patchwork Quit," but the challenge was met successfully and all fears vanished with the passing of a memorable performance.

After the final curtain all who had participated in the play had a true feeling of accomplishment. Weeks of practice under the director John Beasley had at last proven fruitful. Maybe it was worth it after all!!!

CAST

Diane	-----	Mary Cartmell
Young Diane	-----	Patty Scott
Antoinette	-----	Sally Baker
Mama Chrloe	-----	Marcia Davisson
Polly Jearue	-----	Donna Lamb
Ruby	-----	Peggy Casada
Celeste	-----	Phyllis Wilson
Emile	-----	Jimmy Combs
Raul	-----	Harry Weaver
Maurice	-----	Fred Dilling
Adolph	-----	Ed Culy
Pierre	-----	Wilbur Smith

SENIOR PLAY

Front Row: P. Casada, M. Davisson, M. Cartmell, Mr. Beasley, Director, P. Scott.

Back Row: E. Culy, F. Dilling, H. Weaver, D. Lamb, P. Wilson, J. Combs, W. Smith.



"THE CURSE OF AN ACHING HEART"

The Juniors presented a pleasing play, "The Curse of an Aching Heart, by Herbert Wayne under the direction of John Bealsey.

For the first time H. H. S. had a taste of a gay 90's "meller-dramer". Every one had a wonderful time cheering Melody Lane and her hero, Lucius Goodenough, on to success as they escaped the clutches of that dastardly villain, Windemere Hightower.

CAST

Melody Lane	-----	Jayne Bookout
Lucious Goodenough	-----	Dick Corbitt
Windemere Hightower	-----	Bud Wiggins
Hiram Abernathy	-----	Pete Mitchell
Sarah Abernathy	-----	Geraldine Bicknell
Aurelia Abernathy	-----	Janet McGeorge
Red Wing	-----	Annadell Chapman
Battle Axe Annie	-----	Clova Worl
Nelly Blythe	-----	Joyce Finchum
Muriel Atkins	-----	Janet Werking
An Unexpected Male Arrival	-----	Fred Moyer
Stage Manager	-----	Jack Jarret
Student Director	-----	Georgiana Sinex





PROBLEMS OF THE WORLD

Indeed you learn the problems of the world of the past, present, and future from Mrs. Devine. Social studies consist of History, Civics, Sociology, and Economics. Students in these classes are Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors.

It may sound dry but it's not. Imagine looking into a crystal ball and seeing the history of many lands, famous people, wars, social and economical conflicts and changes. Now we "see" civics (don't think that we can't) which is a study of our government. Now we see the legislative assembly making a bill into a law. Then we "see" sociology, the study of human relationships. Maybe if we pay attention we'll develop a better personality. And now what do we see? Oh yes, economics, dealing with man's efforts to make a living. But wait, what is this? Current events? Why of course, each class does quite a lot of current events work. This year they are taking the magazine Senior Scholastic. So you see what fun social studies are.

WORLD'S LITTLE HELPERS

The Red Cross' motto is "we serve". What do they serve? The school, community, state, country, and world.

The council consists of two representatives from each class, and is under the leadership of Miss Rust. Every one in school is entitled to membership in the national organization.

This year they sent Christmas and Valentine boxes overseas, entertained at many homes, and sent a picture album to Japan.

JUNIOR RED CROSS

Front Row: M. Nicholson, L. Greer.

Second Row: P. Mitchell, B. Downing, C. Ulrich, B. Crull, P. Fuson, C. Brooks, P. Shock, S. Maddy, M. Davission, M. Finchum.

Third Row: J. Sharp, J. Jarrett, D. Weber, B. O'Neil, J. Gordon, F. Clifton, K. Asche, W. Barnhart, B. Jarrett.

Fourth Row: G. Metsker, E. Upchurch, Miss Rust, P. Reynolds, P. Parsons, M. Maxwell.

Back Row: J. Shock, B. Bayles, B. McConnell, F. Stohler, J. Combs, J. Seffrin.

CITIZENS OF TOMORROW

Would you like to camp out, enjoy fresh air and exercise, swim, and mingle with Mother Nature several times each year? These are some of the many things the Girl Scouts do.

The senior scouts consist of girls from freshmen through seniors. Their leader is Mrs. Wright.

Troup 77 is composed of seventh and eighth graders. They are supervised by Mrs. Edith Brown and her assistant, Marian Harris.

GIRL SCOUTS

Front Row: S. Taylor, C. Wogaman, E. Hays, M. Gray, J. Bulmer, J. Oakerson, G. Worley, D. Meeks, M. Mitton.

Second Row: J. Davis, D. Taylor.

Third Row: B. Leavell, J. McNelly, M. Hensley, P. Sinex, N. Allen, B. O'Neil, J. Rowe, J. Ritchie, M. Sedgwick, Mrs. Wright, D. Lamb, I. Bertram.

Back Row: L. Greer, J. Martin, J. Tuttle, J. Burgess, J. Williams, M. Nicholson, P. Lindamood, M. Rhinehart, B. Owens, P. Davis, P. Chamness, M. Dodd, S. Small, K. Gray.

BUILDERS OF DEMOCRACY

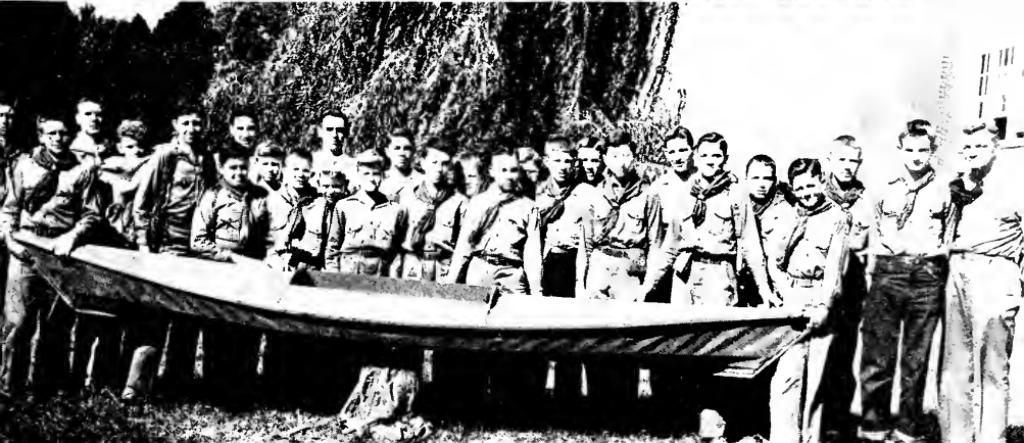
Over a period of years, there has been growing in our community an organization which has not only helped us, but has made better citizens out of its members. This organization is the Boy Scouts.

Their activities are camping out, first aid, and sports. With Ted Sedgwick at the helm, these boys have learned to take care of themselves and help others in any emergency.

BOY SCOUTS

Front Row: R. Hodson, G. Metsker, D. Wogaman, R. Snader, V. Creekbaum, T. Hensley, D. VanOstrand, J. Nicholson, R. Pierce, B. O'Neil, H. Hilbert, R. Downing.

Back Row: H. Andrew, J. Bertram, W. Creekbaum, S. Doughty, B. McCallister, R. Meeks, B. Talbert, C. Ulrich, R. Thomas, J. M. Ulrich, J. A. Ulrich, J. Doughty, J. Ulrich, C. Walters, Mr. Sedgwick.



THE NECESSITIES OF LIFE

The necessities of life are food, clothing and shelter. That is what the Home Economics department under Miss Kathleen Yerkes believes. So they are practicing what they preach by learning all they can about cooking, sewing, house-keeping, home nursing and Family Relationships.

Girls, if you want to become a more efficient housekeeper this is a wise course to take. They not only learn, but it is fun! This course is now offered for 4 years.







FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

America has long prided herself on her fine homes and families. The Future Homemakers of America are learning under the guidance of Miss Yerkes how to make better homes.

Any girl who has had one year of Home Economics may belong to the Future Homemakers. Included in their program were initiations for members, a spring dance, and attending a football game.

F. H. A.

Front row: P. Dishman, C. Worl, W. Barnhart, L. Coy, R. Eilar, S. Maddy, M. White, C. Snyder, B. Grubbs, M. Finchum, D. Forrest.
2nd row: B. O'Neil, M. Stewart, S. Small, M. Dodd, P. Chamness, D. Swoveland, P. Casada, R. House, J. Shock.
3rd row: J. Williams, B. Hoover, L. Pollitt, J. Jackson, M. Walker, C. McConnell, B. Small, P. Shock, C. Gates, M. Foulke.
4th row: M. Sedgwick, I. Bertram, M. Marlatt.
5th row: B. Lindley, M. Brown, J. Bell, S. Barnard, M. Messer, B. Mahoney, Miss Yerkes, R. Wilson, P. Reynolds, S. Rinehart.
Back row: M. Bulmer, D. Wright, E. Garvin, B. Grubbs, G. Bicknell, J. McGeorge, A. Chapman.

H. H. S.'s 4-H

Under the leadership of Mr. Mobley and Miss Yerkes the 4-H club begins in the spring, members spend all summer working on their various projects. In the fall their efforts are displayed and graded, if they take first prize they are entitled to go on to the state fair.

Older members become Junior Leaders, and they are helpful, because they help the beginners get started.

4-H

Front row: B. Lindley, J. Bookout, G. Sinex, N. Martin, D. Meyers, W. Walz, B. Fuson, D. Jarrett, M. Foulke, M. Finchum, P. Casada, D. Forrest, P. Watt, J. McCullough, N. Watt.
Second row: I. Bertram, M. Sedgwick, M. Clark, B. Shank, J. Eesens, D. Doerstler, M. Nicholson, S. Taylor, L. Greer, C. Wopaman.
Fourth row: J. Davis J. Troth, D. Taylor, R. Pitts, P. Chamness, M. Marlatt, M. Maxwell, J. Finchum, L. Coy, K. Ashe, W. Barnhart, B. O'Neil, Miss Yerkes.
Fifth row: J. Bulmer, J. Bell, M. Swoveland, M. Martin, P. Fuson.
Sixth row: J. Bichie, P. Shock, P. Casada, P. Lumpkin, E. Sherwood, P. Scott, F. Clark, J. Clark, J. Woolard, J. Williams.
Seventh row: M. Beeson, J. Pierce, D. Lamb, T. Root, J. Snyder, B. Brown, Mr. Mobley.
Eighth row: H. Shafer, S. Rhinchart, M. Rhinchart, J. Siegrist, A. Kenworthy, C. McCord, J. Oakerson, S. Maddy, C. Gates, C. Snyder, M. White, C. Lindley, J. Garard, D. Brown, B. Harter, F. Waltz, R. Sharp, M. Culy, R. Davis, F. Bennett, R. Harris, D. Foulke, R. Wisener, D. Gordon, J. Litton, M. Culy, M. Ashe, J. Charles.
Back row: H. Bulmer, F. Meyers.

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

The F. F. A. is for farm boys enrolled in vocational agriculture, who some day hope to have a farm of their own.

Their aim is to better the farm buildings, equipment, land, cattle, and crops. To do this their educational program has been broadened in the last few years. Last spring some of the boys went down into Kentucky. They go to dairy, cattle, equipment, and crop shows. Under the guidance of Mr. Mobley. All this is done to improve the farmer's condition.

F. F. A.

Foreground: M. Messer.
Front row: J. Snyder, T. Bowman, D. Hinshaw, J. Shock, R. Swank, D. Dishman, C. Lindley, J. Grubbs, B. Brown.
Second row: H. Shafer, J. Charles, J. Smith, M. Culy, E. Upchurch, D. Brown, B. Harter, J. Garard.
Back row: B. Waltz, D. Doerstler, Mr. Mobley, J. Lindley, F. Moyer, D. Meyers.
Not present at the taking of the picture: D. Ulrich.



SCIENCE AND MATH

Science and Mathematics are academic stumbling blocks for many high school students, but for those mental giants of the class of 1950, like Ulrich, Clampitt, and Combs these classes are a snap of the finger.

We should forget the idea that Science and Math are so hard. Really, just like some people, they're not bad at all when you get to know them. In the future you may need them. Often such courses are excluded because some people do not plan to go to college, but they are often the ones who become frustrated by lack of courses when they discover they are able to go to college.

Mathematics begins with Algebra, Business Arithmetic, and General Math. Geometry proves quite exciting to many sophomores if for no other reason than a periodic glance at the grade book. It then progresses on through the wonders of Advanced Algebra and Solid Geometry for our dear Juniors, and finally it solves all of the mysteries of the universe for those Seniors who so proudly exclaim (and I quote) "We take 'Trig' this year!"

After speaking both loud and long about Mathematics I am sure when I say that the marvels of Science are as equally wonderful you will no longer just want to dip your toes into Physics and Chemistry, but rather, plunge headlong into Science and delve into the never-ending marvels of Nature's many and varied mysteries.





LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT

Spanish in H. H. S. is that oasis in a desert of otherwise drab academic subjects, which provides a daily excursion to foreign lands and people. Although some do not take it as seriously as others, it affords the opportunity for desirable language skills and helps us to understand better our own language through a study by comparison.

Entering the door into Spanish class we abandon our ordinary cares of the school day to prepare ourselves for anything to happen -(and it usually does!)

Hic, Haec, Hoe,
This is no joke
Amo, amas, amat,
Give 'em all you got!

This yell was originated by Miss Rust, the Latin teacher. If you're curious about this yell, see Miss Rust. Her students believe she knows more about Latin than the Romans do.

The Latin class last year held a Roman Banquet followed by contests and games in celebration of the founding of Rome.

Students of the Latin classes have kept derivative notebooks to increase their vocabulary and have Latin prefixes which show the influence of Latin and Roman life on our own.

Every year they enter the Latin contests. Don Hilbert and Charles Walters are participating in the regional contest this year. We hope they will carry on to the state contest.



ROD CLAMPITT

Editor-in-chief

EPITOME STAFF

Front Row, left to right: Mr. Baughman, P. Scott, S. Baker, R. Clampitt.

Second Row: B. Small, P. Wilson, M. Finchum, M. Foulke, B. Fuson, D. Forrest.

Back Row: H. Weaver, D. Ulrich, E. Culy, F. Dilling, M. Cartmell.



**"Slaves of
1950"**



GREAT EXPERIENCE PUBLISHING YEARBOOK

It's wonderful! It's a great experience! Matter of fact it actually is. But golly friends, it's an awful lot of work. First of all we selected a theme, then picture arrangements with Mr. Hirshburg, meetings with Mr. Baughman, and write ups. How we hurried to meet those deadlines!

In the beginning we decided to write our Epitome in the style of a magazine. We thought that perhaps this idea would be different, and we think that you will agree with us that it is **DIFFERENT!**

To be serious, we feel that our efforts will be rewarded inasmuch as this pictorial record will be a pleasant reminder of "the best years of our lives."





Y-TEEN CABINET

Front Row: J. Bookout, Mrs. Nichols, B. Fuson.

Second Row: P. Wampler, I. Bertram, P. Casada, M. Cartmell, G. Sinex

Third Row: R. Wilson, P. Wilson, P. Scott, J. Gordon.

Rear: R. Eilar.

Y-TEENS SERVE

This year the Y-Teen Club, under the sponsorship of Jane Nichols, lived up to the lines on their code "Ready for Service." They obtained a mirror which was placed in the gym for all the girls of Hagerstown High School to use. They also went with the Red Cross to prepare boxes to be sent overseas to needy children.

Of course we had a successful social year, which began with the Mother and Daughter Tea when all new members were initiated.

We sponsored a "Sock Hop" which made an all time record for fun and entertainment.

The Mother and Daughter Banquet was held March 10 with the appropriate theme, "Friends Across the Sea."

The counselors this year, were: Mrs. Doris Devine, Miss Helen Smith, Mrs. Harold Sinex, Mrs. Maurice Bookout, and Mrs. D. L. Cartmell.



HI-Y CABINET

Front Row: D. Hilbert, B. Wiggins, Mr. Wright, Sponser, D. Ulrich, D. Corbitt.

Back Row: F. Dilling, E. Culy, J. Bond, R. Clampitt, D. Thalls.

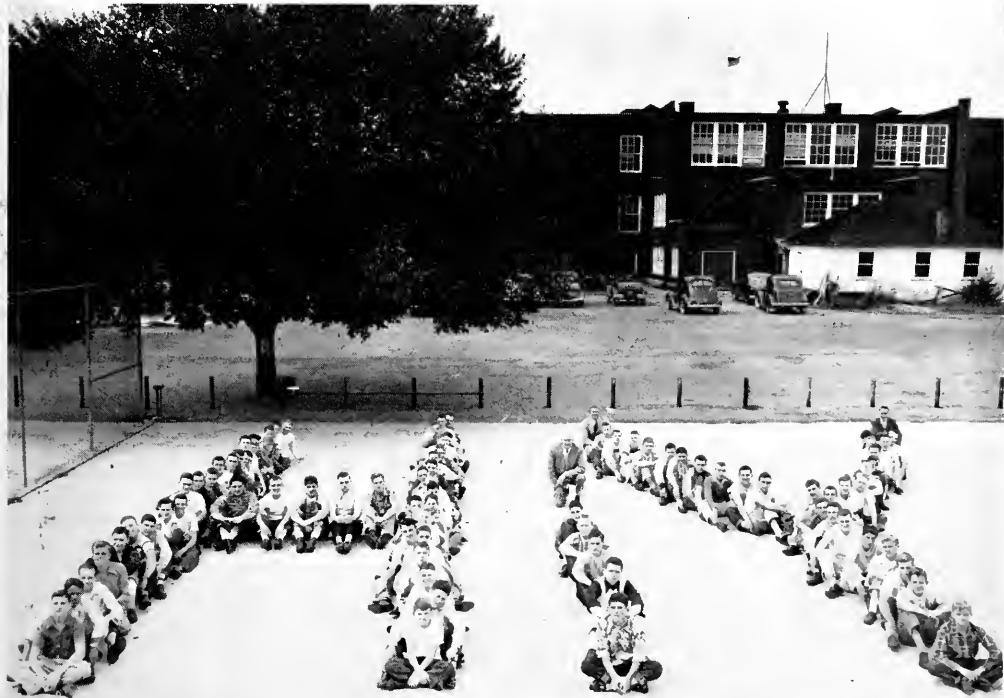


HI-Y PROSPERS

Under the capable guidance of Mr. Wright the Hi-Y has again chalked up another successful year.

We tackled several projects this year, including the sponsorship of the "Go to Church Campaign" which proved to be very successful. Also some of the Hi-Y members built and erected a sign board showing the basketball schedule for the present season. This sign is built so it can be used in succeeding basketball seasons. The annual Father-and-Son Banquet was again held this year with the usual amount of merry-making and good times. Dr. Rousey of Earlham was well received as the banquet speaker.

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THE BUSINESS WORLD OF TODAY

Students preparing for a career in business find a liberal selection of courses in our business education department under the able instruction of Mrs. Garnet Barnhart and Miss Cecelia Chipley. The different classes in Business Education are: typing, bookkeeping, business English, office practice, shorthand, and general business.

If you are preparing for a job immediately after high school, then these classes are just what you need!

After inquiring around we have learned from the girls enrolled in these classes that this course is both very interesting and useful.

COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

Front row: B. Halstead, J. Jarrett, G. Hunt, B. Shock, B. Franklin, C. Wright, B. Franklin, D. Dishman, D. Myers. Second row: Mr. Barnhart, B. Lindley, J. Werking, C. Worl, J. McGeorge, V. DeBruler, G. Sinex, J. Bockout, L. Coy, D. Wright, E. Garvin, A. Chapman, B. Fuson, M. Davison, M. Finchum, Miss Chipley. Third row: B. Small, P. Wampler, N. Martin, R. Eilar, M. Stewart, P. Dishman, M. Bulmer, P. Scott, P. Wilson, D. Forrest. Fourth row: D. Jarrett, P. Hoover, C. Ashe, B. O'Neil, L. Pollit, J. Jackson, M. Garvin, P. Parsons, M. Clark, M. Foulke, B. Durbin. Fifth row: F. Dilling, S. Baker, M. Cartmell, M. Seward, J. Cromis, D. Swoveland, M. Swoveland, J. Bicknell, B. Grubbs, M. Walker, C. Gates, P. Mitchell. Sixth row: D. Doerstler, S. Barnard, W. Bell, M. Messer, J. Gordon, K. Gray, E. Irvin, D. Lamb, F. Cifton, R. Craig, J. Ulrich, E. Stockburger, E. Dale. Seventh row: B. Shank, D. Werking, B. Mahoney, P. Charness, B. Jarrett, F. Stoher, M. Sedgwick. Eighth row: J. Bond, D. Swearington, D. Dailey, B. Bayles, B. Wiggins, S. Swim, J. Betram, Don Steffenson, B. May, J. Miller. Back row: M. LaMar, J. Sharp, B. McConnell.



OVER ONE HUNDRED BOYS IN SHOP

The boys in shop range from eighth graders in woodshop to high school boys taking industrial shop. Some of the things they learn are machine work, wood working, welding, and electric plating. They also learn how to read blue prints and the art of pattern making.

These boys are doing work for the Red Cross in Richmond, the Light Inspection Car Works, Sohio Oil Works and for many farmers who live around this part of the country.

SHOP

Front row: J. Ulrich, M. Brooks, D. Hilbert, P. Gray, G. Medsker, C. Walters, P. Bond, R. Meeks, S. Doughty, D. Lamb. Second row: T. Sedgwick, W. Smith, J. Bertram, G. Hunt, E. Upchurch, B. Halstead, F. Stohler, D. Ulrich, C. Cordell, B. Waltz, E. Culy, D. Myers, J. Beeson. Third row: D. Doerstler, F. Bennett, B. Downing, J. Nicholson, J. Litton, J. Miller, D. Parsons, K. Gray, R. Hammond, R. Sharp, B. Eales. Fourth row: F. Dilling, M. Culy, M. Asche, W. VanOstrand, B. Harris, S. Mossett, M. Messer. Fifth row: G. Adkins, N. Adkinson, H. Shaffer, F. Meyer, D. Pierce, J. Snyder, E. Buhl, G. Stenzle. Sixth row: D. Woolums, D. Goar, D. Stauble, E. LaFever, G. Andrew, C. Lindley, E. Stockberger, B. McConnell, J. Smith, C. Reese. Seventh row: B. Grisson, G. Hilbert, J. Ulrich, B. Davenport, B. Durbin, C. Dale, B. Creekbaum, B. Hodson, V. Swearingen, D. Wegeman, J. Grubbs, J. Charles. Back row: J. Kennedy, D. Dailey, B. Brown, D. Hinshaw, J. Shock, M. LaMar, T. Bowman, H. Andrew, D. Steffenson, B. Franklin, D. Dishman, B. Shank, B. Franklin, C. Wright, B. Shock, R. Harris.



ART TAKES AN ACTIVE PART

The art class this year has been quite a busy place under the instruction of Jane Nichols.

They have many projects from which the students may choose. Some of the artistic fields into which they may enter are: leather work, water coloring, weaving, lamp making, poster work, stage direction, and others.

This class affords an opportunity to develop expression through an artistic outlet.



MR. ANDERSON
Music Director



"A" BAND

Front Row: J. Peirce, D. Van Ostrand, J. Doughty, P. Rowe, V. Creekbaum, D. Davis, J. Ulrich, G. Metsker, Mr. Anderson, Director.

Second Row: J. Ulrich, B. Creekbaum, D. Clayton, D. Daily, G. Hoover, B. Foust, E. Lafever, B. Snader, B. Wiggins, P. Reynolds.

Back Row: K. Asche, R. Creekbaum, R. Wisener, D. Goar, D. Lamb, J. Garard, R. Fouke, C. Cordell, P. Mitchell, P. Hoover.



THE MELODY MAKERS

What would this ol' world be without music? A little dreary, I should think. Well, Mr. Anderson keeps Hagerstown well supplied with music.

The chorus has brought us some very pleasing entertainment, with their wide range of individual talents. The music department has also sent students to the state music contests. We are proud of their representation. This year the department put on an operetta called "Meet Arizona." It was really a hit!

The "A" band has really added pep to our ball games. They have given band convocations this year which have made the students appreciate their artistic abilities.

The "B" band is looking forward to becoming the "A" band, and to them we say good luck!!

"B" BAND

Front Row: M. Nicholson, J. Oakerson, Mr. Anderson, Director, P. Belt, M. Baughman.

Second Row: B. Foust, R. Ellis, J. Doughty, A. Clampitt, J. Holmes, G. Hoover, P. Rowe, B. Snader.

Back Row: R. Creekbaum, R. Wisener, C. Ramey, D. Pierce, D. Foulke, D. Bland, P. Fox, R. Dale.



Majorettes

Center: J. Burgess.

Left to right: G. Worley, B. Leavell, J. Oakerson, P. Lindamood, J. Seffrin, J. Rowe, I. Bertram, C. Brooks.



MIXED CHORUS

Front Row: M. Fitzharries, P. Davis, J. Seffrin, B. Owens, J. Williams, S. Anderson, B. Conwell.

Second Row: S. Barnard, J. Rhoades, J. Burgess, M. Wilson, P. Chammess, M. Dodd, S. Small, M. Maxwell, S. Baker, M. Davisson.

Third Row: A. Chapman, M. Rhinehart, P. Thalls, P. Brown, W. Barnhart, M. Brooks, W. Creekbaum, R. Davis, R. Pierce, W. Durbin, H. Hilbert, C. Cordell, L. Coy, B. Hoover.

Back Row: L. Pollitt, G. Sinex, D. Werking, D. Wright, J. Werking, D. Davolt, G. Wesley, Mr. Anderson, G. Dale, J. Ulrich, C. Dale, D. Ulrich, J. Combs, J. McGeorge, P. Hoover, J. Walters.



THE SEVEN SECRETARIES

Mr. Bauglman is not like most people who have only one secretary. Yes, he has seven! They are very efficient and cheerful girls who give their assistance one period a day. These girls are always busy doing things in the office that must be done. They not only gain experience, but also find satisfaction in helping to make the wheels of the school go around.

OFFICE STAFF

Front Row: W. Barnhart, B. Fuson, J. Bookout, P. Wilson.

Second Row: M. Cartmell, E. Irvin, H. Smith, D. Lamb, F. Clifton.

Back Row: B. Mahoney.

COMMUNICATION VIA NEWSPAPER

School news is brought before the public, thanks to the efficiency of the Exponent Staff and to Mrs. Garnet Barnhart, who is the new supervisor this year.

Each member is given a special assignment and it is her job to see that it is ready. The staff has done an excellent job in reporting the changes in our school, all social affairs, and other events of interest to the public.

Through the fine co-operation of the Exponent and our Staff, they have not only brought you the news, but have gained valuable knowledge by their experience.

EXONENT STAFF

Left to right: J. Ulrich, M. Ashe, B. May, D. Hilbert, F. Moyer, B. Fuson, M. Cartmell, S. Baker, M. Brown, E. Irvin, Mrs. Barnhart, B. Owens, B. Jarrett, J. Finchum, B. O'Neil, R. Craig, M. Garvin, W. Barnhart.



SPORTS





OUR TIGERS PLA

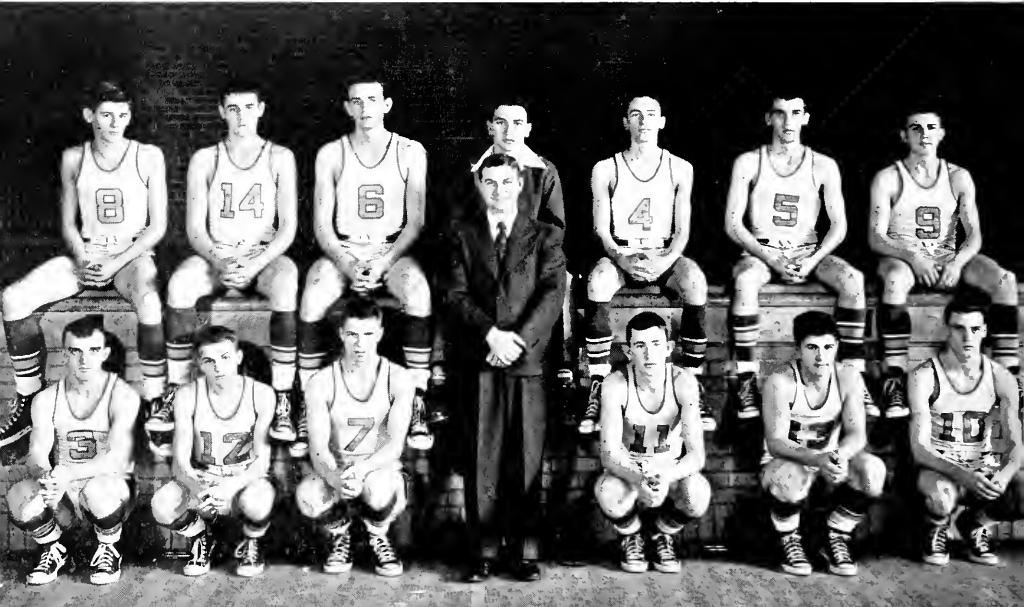
The Tigers' basketball team got off to a flying start this year winning four of their first five games. Never has a finer schedule been played. Several games were lost but at the end of the season they ran up another string of victories. Two terrific scraps were lost during the season to Centerville, but during the tourney it was certainly Hagerstown who outclassed all the other county teams.

This year two of the better teams in the state were added to the schedule, Anderson and Rushville. Another example of the ruggedness of the schedule is that the Tigers played seven different teams during the sea-

FIRST TEAM

Front Row: D. Thalls, J. Jarrett, B. Davenport, Coach D. Wright, E. Upchurch, J. Kutter, J. Bnod.

Back Row: B. Bales, B. Wiggins, D. Dorestler, Manager F. Stohler, D. Corbitt, D. Ulrich, R. Clampitt.



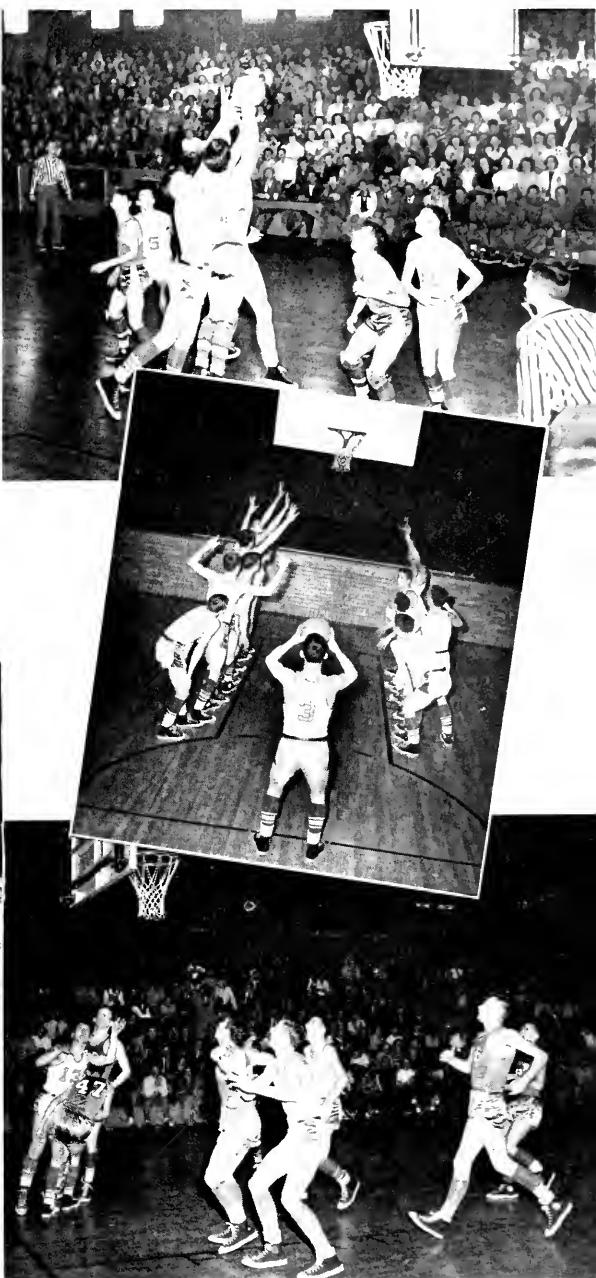
JUGGED SCHEDULE

son that were sectional tournament winners this year.

In the Sectional Tourney the team from H. H. S. gave an excellent account of itself by edging Cambridge City, beating Whitewater, then finally losing to Richmond in the final scrap.

Next year the Tigers have scheduled Connersville instead of Anderson and they will fight this battle as well as others without the help of six of this year's players who will be lost through graduation. We are expecting many victories from them including the sectional tournament crown.

COACH WRIGHT





YELL LEADERS

Mary Cartwell, John Sharp, Dorothy Forrest

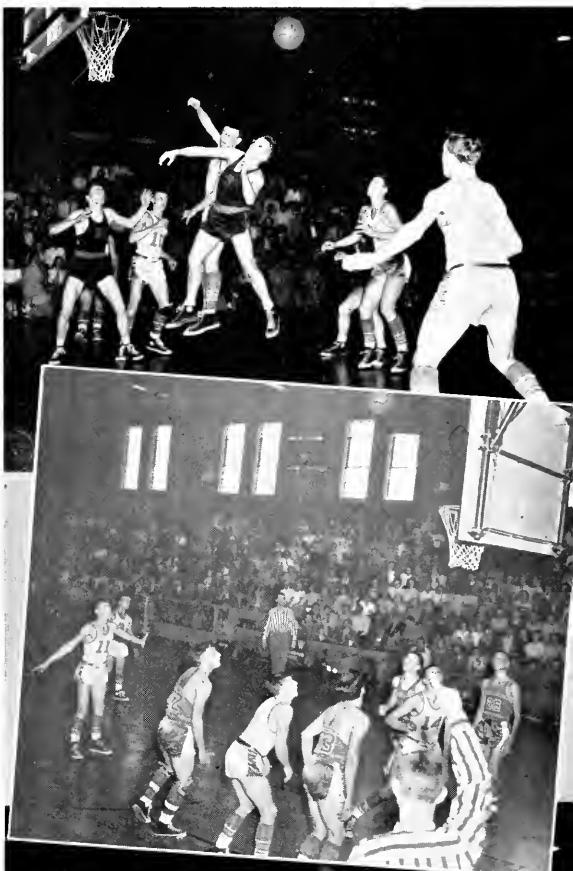
STUDENT MANAGER

Francis Stohler



"A" TEAM RECORD

Hagerstown	43	Farmland	36
Hagerstown	42	Pendleton	57
Hagerstown	31	Dunkirk	26
Hagerstown	50	Union City	38
Hagerstown	53	Cambridge City	34
Hagerstown	24	Brookville	48
Hagerstown	41	Greenfield	63
Hagerstown	37	Anderson	58
Hagerstown	22	Winchester	40
Hagerstown	50	Alexandria	45
Hagerstown	41	Rushville	49
Hagerstown	48	Portland	56
Hagerstown	29	Knightstown	57
Hagerstown	34	Centerville	43
Hagerstown	45	Liberty	36
Hagerstown	30	Lawrenceburg	52
Hagerstown	50	Burris	61
Hagerstown	56	Batesville	49



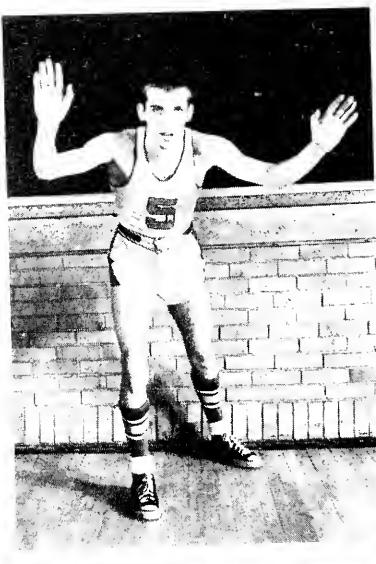
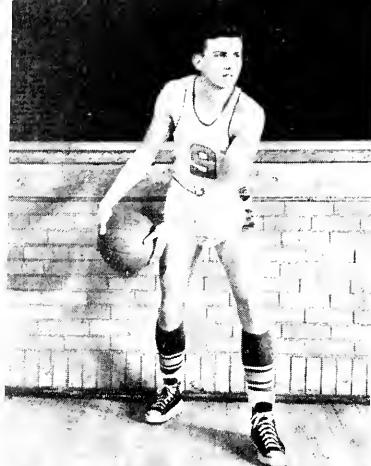
SECTIONAL TOURNEY

Hagerstown	44	Cambridge City	38
Hagerstown	44	Whitewater	40
Hagerstown	41	Richmond	59

INVITATIONAL TOURNEY

Hagerstown	42	Centerville	48
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HERE ARE THE FLYING TIGERS

Bond—“10”
Good Shot

Clampitt—“9”
Dependable Forward

Doerstler—“6”
Ready when called upon

Kutter—“13”
Rough and Ready



Thalls—“3”
Long Shot Artist

Ulrich—“5”
Tricky “South Paw”

Bayles—“8”
Lean and Lanky

Corbitt—“4”
Shifty Guard



Davenport—“7”
Scrappy and lots of Drive

Jarrett—“12”
Hot Shot Forward

Wiggins—“14”
Clever Man Under the Basket

Upchurch—“11”
Good Rebounder

NEXT YEAR'S HOPEFULS

Did you notice how early those basketball fans came this year so they wouldn't miss a bit of that second team game? We did. And for speed, plenty of action, spills and thrills it was just as exciting as any first team game.

True they lost about as often as they won, but look at all those one and two point games they had.

SECOND TEAM

Front Row: M. Culy, D. Clayton, P. Bond, B. Harter, B. Talbert.

Second Row: J. Ulrich, H. Andrews, D. Brown, R. Sharp, B. Davis, manager.

Back Row: J. Litton, C. Walters, Mr. Hunter, coach, R. Meeks, D. Hilbert.

Mr. Hunter puts the zip into them so there will be plenty of pushing for those first team positions next year.





"B" TEAM RECORD

Hagerstown	22	Farmland	16
Hagerstown	29	Pendleton	31
Hagerstown	34	Dunkirk	20
Hagerstown	28	Union City	29
Hagerstown	29	Cambridge City	37
Hagerstown	27	Brookville	22
Hagerstown	30	Greenfield	28
Hagerstown	18	Anderson	50
Hagerstown	30	Winchester	31
Hagerstown	35	Alexandria	33
Hagerstown	27	Rushville	37
Hagerstown	34	Portland	38
Hagerstown	28	Knightstown	26
Hagerstown	37	Centerville	22
Hagerstown	23	Liberty	29
Hagerstown	32	Lawrenceburg	23
Hagerstown	26	Burris	42
Hagerstown	40	Batesville	30

"B" TEAM TOURNEY

Hagerstown	27	Brookville	24
Hagerstown	24	Centerville	26



BASEBALL RECORD

Hagerstown	16	Economy	0
Hagerstown	2	Whitewater	5
Hagerstown	3	Fountain City	2
Hagerstown	16	Williamsburg	5
Hagerstown	3	Cambridge City	4
Hagerstown	4	Boston	6
Hagerstown	8	Centerville	10
Hagerstown	6	Greensfork	3
Hagerstown	1	Webster	4
Hagerstown	2	Milton	3

BASEBALL

Front Row: Mr. Hunter, D. Steffenson, P. Bond, J. Jarrett, M. Culy, Mr. Wright.

Second Row: G. Miller, D. Corbitt, B. May, C. Dale, D. Combs, D. Brown.

Back Row: D. Parsons, C. Walters, J. Bond, J. Kutter, B. Wiggins, D. Thalls, D. Jarrett, B. Talbert, F. Meyers, J. Litton.



YOU'RE UP

The coaches, capable Dick Hunter with the proficient assistance of Dick Wright, did a fine job this year with our baseball team. A brother act, made up of Don Jarrett, pitcher, and Jack Jarrett, catcher, gave the Tigers a tough one-two punch.

One of the most exciting games was Centerville vs. Hagerstown. Centerville was in the lead with a score of 8-2 in the 8th inning when we gained 6 runs making the final score 10-8. Fountain City vs. Tigers was another close one. Marion Culy, a handy freshman, pitched this game with the score at the end of 6 innings 3-2 in favor of the Tigers.

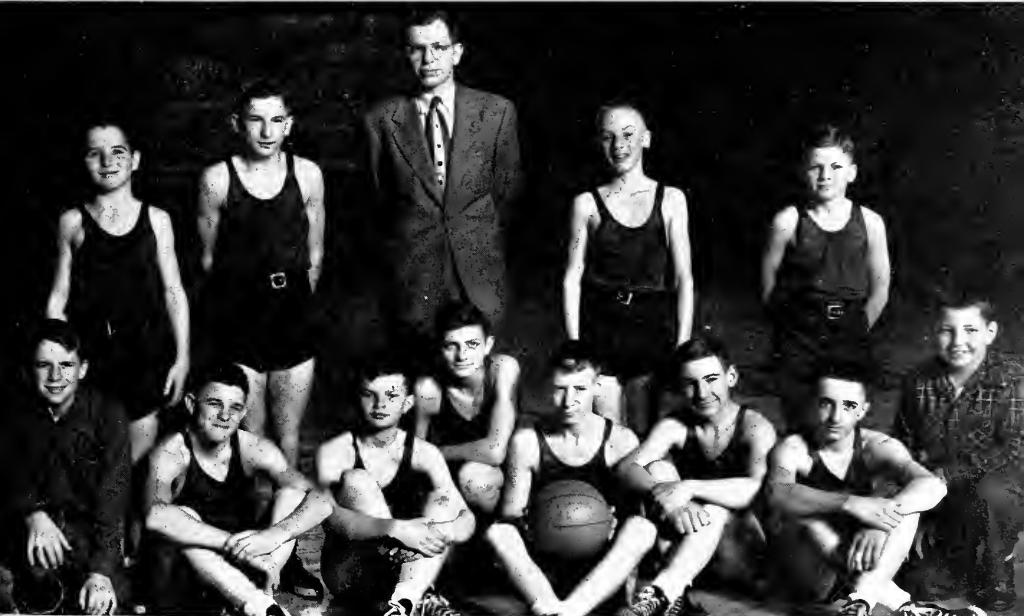
The team will lose five boys by graduation. However, the coaches say there are two freshmen and one sophomore that have developed into talented pitchers.

Congratulations to this year's team and coaches and luck to the team of '51!

JUNIOR HIGH TEAM

Front Row: D. Gordon, D. Foulke, B. Hardwick, M. Timmons, P. Wilson, F. Waltz, R. Gray, L. Ulrich.

Second Row: B. Hilbert, J. Chapman, Mr. Nichols, coach, D. Gwin, R. Jarrett.



GOLF

Front Row: R. Meeks, B. May.

Second Row: C. Walters, Mr. Wright, coach, R. Murray.

Back Row: B. Wiggins.



GOLF AND TENNIS

Golf is becoming a popular sport at H. H. S. under the coaching of Mr. Wright. The team this year plays Batesville, Winchester, Richmond, Muncie Central, New Castle, and Washington of Indianapolis. They are also entering the sectional meet at Indianapolis.

Tennis also is rising in popularity. With Mr. Hunter at the helm, the tennis team is expecting to have a good record and a lot of fun.

TENNIS TEAM

Left to right: D. Steffenson, D. Corbitt, D. Ulrich, D. Hunter, coach, S. Doughty, P. Bond, D. Lamb.





TRACK TEAM

Front Row: D. Ulrich, J. Bond, R. Clampitt, P. Bond, P. Gray.

Second Row: J. Kutter, D. Doerstler, D. Corbitt, B. Davenport, J. Ulrich, H. Andrew.

Back Row: Coach D. Wright, D. Parsons, B. Franklin, D. Jarrett, Coach D. Hunter.

TRACK

As the Epitome goes to press the track team is a big question. Hopes have been high for an outstanding team this year. The boys will be shooting at three records in particular because they haven't been broken in eight years.

Track Schedule

April 4	Fountain City—Greensfork	At Hagerstown
April 6	Cambridge City	At Cambridge City
April 11	Webster—Knightstown	At Knightstown
April 14	Burris—New Castle	At New Castle
April 21	County Meet	At Cambridge City
April 28	Conference Meet	At Liberty
May 2	Eaton (Ohio)—Spiceland	At Hagerstown
May 9	New Castle—Richmond	At Richmond
May 13	Sectional Meet	At Richmond

GIRLS ATHLETICS

Miss Cecelia Chipley, instructor of the girls athletics classes, in her first year here at H. H. S. initiated the girls into a new game called hockey. All the girls enjoyed this game as well as soccer, volleyball, basketball, softball, tumbling, tennis, and track.

As usual, they had a class basketball tourney in which the seniors came out on top. Miss Chipley, for the first time also, gave a trophy to the winners.

G.A.A. is a new club organized at H. H. S. this year by Miss Chipley.





THEY ALL LOOK ALIKE

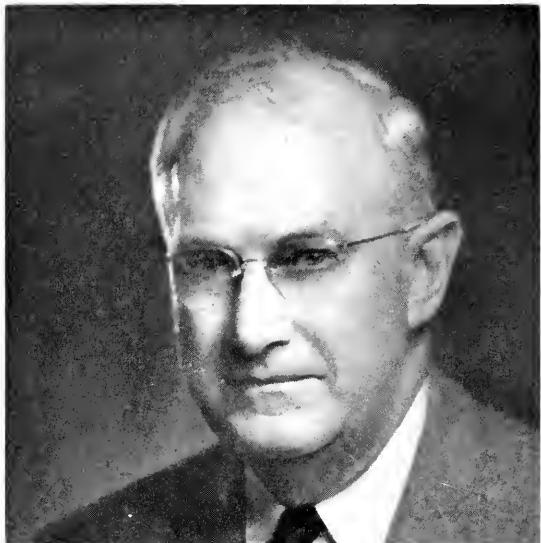
LOOKS LIKE SUICIDE TO ME!



PEOPLE





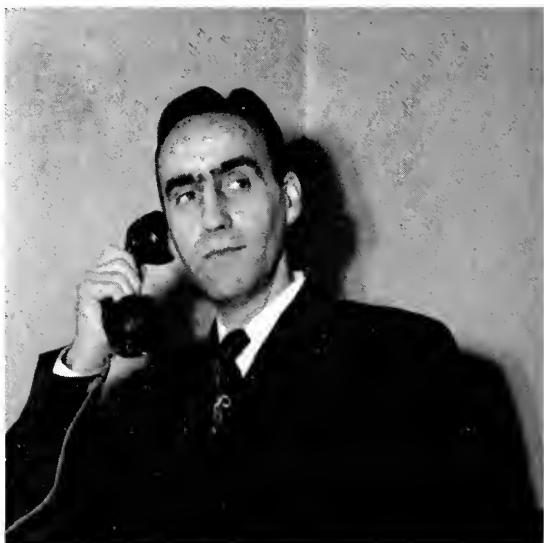


OUR IDEAL MAN

Mr. Frank M. Cory
Indiana University, A.B.
Columbia University, A.M.

We have learned to know Mr. Cory, our superintendent, as Our Ideal Man because of his successful guidance through another year.

His sound judgment and ability have won the admiration and respect of all those in contact with him. His thoughtfulness, as well as consideration of others, has made him a friend of everyone and a very capable superintendent.





SCHOOL BOARD

Left to Right: Clarence Stout, Frank Cory, Lee J. Reynolds, Clyde Hoffman.

SCHOOL BOARD

Long before our book goes to press our "publishers," the school board, are busy planning the layout, choosing a staff and guiding the policies of the school. The success of Hagerstown students is indication enough of the wisdom of their decision. In short, the school board is to see that you don't come to school . . . bored.

The school board consists of Lee Reynolds, trustee, Clarence Stout and Clyde Hoffman. These men donate their time and are selected by the people of Hagerstown. They have played an important part in our academic lives. It is now time to show our appreciation for the many things they have done for us.

PRINCIPAL RECOGNIZED

Mr. John Baughman
Indiana University, A.B.
Wisconsin University, M.A.

The senior class and school owes to Mr. Baughman a sincere debt of gratitude.

Few are the students who have not received personal attention and guidance by our principal. As you know he has devoted his earnest efforts to give the students the greatest assistance both in school and outside.

We would like to thank Mr. Baughman for all he has done for the class of 1950 in helping us make our year book a great success.

WALTER E. ANDERSON, B.S., M.S., Indiana State Teachers' College, Music.

GARNET COX BARNHART, B.S., DePauw University, Indiana University, Commercial.

WILLIAM H. BARNHART, B.S., M.S., Indiana University, Science.

JOHN C. BEASLEY, A.B., Earlham College, English, Speech.

CECILIA ANN CHIPLEY, B.S., Ball State College, Physical Education, Business Education.

DORIS H. DEVINE, A.B., M.A., Ball State College, Social Studies.

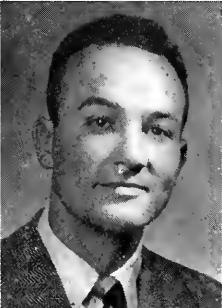
RICHARD D. HUNTER, B.S., Indiana University, Miami University, Physical Education, English, Athletic Coach.

FLORANCE B. LESTER, A.B., Ball State College, Indiana University, Mathematics, Social Studies.

JOE L. MOBLEY, B.S., M.S., Eastern State Teachers' College, University of Kentucky, Agriculture.



IMPORTANT PEOPLE





MARY JANE NICHOLS, B.S., Indiana University, Art, English.

ROBERT W. NICHOLS, B.S., Indiana University, DePauw University, Mathematics, History.

VONDA L. PRICE, B.S., Ball State College, Social Science, Library Science, Geography.

MARY M. RUST, A.B., M.A., Butler University, University of Michigan, English, Latin.

LOUISE M. SCHULTZE, A.B., Indiana University, Ball State College, Speech Correction and Hearing Therapy.

THEODORE SEDGWICK, B.S. of Ag., Purdue University, Ball State, Indiana University, Vocational Shop.

HELEN SMITH, Clerk.

RICHARD M. WRIGHT, A.B., Earlham College, Athletic Coach, Social Studies, Health, Drivers' Education.

KATHLEEN YERKES, B.S., Purdue University, Home Economics.

INSIDE H. H. S.







CONGRATULATIONS, SENIORS?

Here you see the people whom we chose as our officers for the '49-'50 school year. Now their duties are about to be concluded. They have served well, and we, the Class of 1950 would like to salute them for making this year the best of all at H. H. S.!



SENIOR OFFICERS

JIMMY COMBS *"Personality"*

President, Both Plays, Red Cross 2, H. S. Operetta, Boys glee club 2, Hi-Y 1.

MARY CARTMELL *"Dark Eyes"*

Vice President, Y-Teens 4, Cabinet 1, Epitome Staff, Yell Leader 4, Student Legislature (Purdue), Office assistant 2, Perfect Attendance.

DICK THALLS *"Dickey Bird"*

Treasurer, Hi-Y 4, Cabinet 2, Basketball 3, Track, Baseball 4, Class Officer 2.

MARTHA FOULKE *"Chatterbox"*

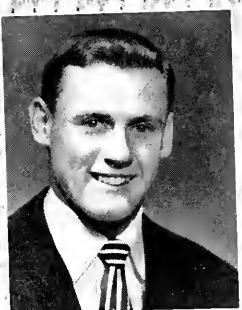
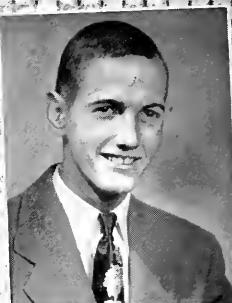
Secretary, Vice President of F. H. A., Y-Teen 4, Yell Leader 1, and Librarian.

RODNEY CLAMPITT *"It's So Easy"*

Editor of 1950 Epitome, Scholastic Honor Roll 3, Cabinet 1, Basketball 2, Track 2.

DOROTHY FOREST *"Hair of Gold"*

Business Manager, Yell Leader 4, 4-H President, F. H. A. President, Secretary of Y-Teen 1, Senior Carnival Queen, Winner of 4-H County Dress Review (1949).



SALLY BAKER—"Frivolous Sal"—Y-Teens 4, Cabinet 2, Senior play, Director Christmas play, H. S. operetta.

JIM BEESON—"Bidin' My Time"—Hi-Y, 4-H 3, Tennis 1, Baseball 1.

FRED BENNETT—"Janie"—Hi-Y 4, band 5.

JERRY BERTRAM—"Goodnight Ladies"—Hi-Y 4, Band 3, 4-H 2, Perfect Attendance 6.

JOHN BOND—"Oh Johnny"—Hi-Y 4, Cabinet 2, Jr. Class President, Basketball 2, Baseball 3, Track 2, Red Cross Council.

MARY BROWN—"Alabama Bound"—Y-Teen 4, F.H.A. officer 2, Poster contest winner, Scholastic Honor Roll 2, Citizenship Honor Roll, Attendance 2.

PEGGY CASADA—"Ain't Misbehaving"—Y-Teens 4, Cabinet 2, Office assistant 1, Sr. Play, F.H.A., Exponent staff.

FAY ANN CLIFTON—"She's So Nice"—Y-Teen 4, Red Cross Council 4, V.P. Red Cross, Scholastic Honor Roll 3, Citizenship Honor Roll 4, Office assistant, Perfect attendance 9. Never tardy.

BETTY LOU CONWELL—"When You're Smilin"—Y-Teen 4, Choir 1.



CARL CORDELL — "The Man With the Horn"—Hi-Y, Band 4, Orchestra 2, Swing Band 2.

RHEA JEAN CRAIG — "Smilin' Through"—Y-Teen 4, Citizenship Honor Roll 3, Junior Play, Exponent Staff.

JANE CROMIS—"It's Wonderful"—Y-Teen 4, F.H.A. 1, 4-H 1.

ED CULY—"It's Later Than You Think"—Hi-Y 4, Cabinet 1, Both Plays, Epitome Staff, Perfect Attendance 10.

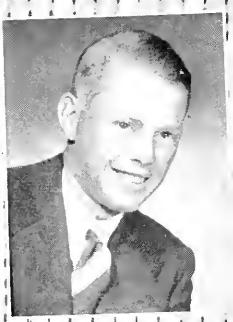
MARCIA DAVISSON—"Ain't We Got Fun"—Y-Teen 4, Cabinet 1, Red Cross Council, Girl's Glee Club, Both Plays.

VELMA DeBRULER—"I'm In Love With a Wonderful Guy"—Y-Teen 4, F.H.A. 1, Girl's Glee Club 2, Citizenship Honor Roll 2.

FRED DILLING—"The Farmer and the Maiden"—Hi-Y 4, Cabinet 1, 4-H 6, Officer 2, Freshman Class President, F.F.A. 2, F.F.A. President, F.F.A. Speech Contest, Judging Team 1, Both Plays.

DON DISHMAN—"Don't Fence Me In"—F.F.A.

DARRELL DOERSTLER—"Farmer in the Dell"—Hi-Y 4, Basketball 1, F.F.A. 4, President F.F.A. 3, Treasurer F.F.A. 1, Track 1, 4-H 8, President 4-H 4.



MAXINE FINCHUM—"Hail and Farewell"—Honor Roll 2, Citizenship Honor Roll 2, Sophomore Class officer.

BEN FRANKLIN—"In My Merry Oldsmobile"—Hi-Y 4.

BONNIE FUSON—"We'll Build a Bungalow"—Y-Teen 4, Cabinet 2, Class Officer 1, Choir.

MARGARET GARVIN—"Five Feet Two, Eyes of Blue"—Y-Teen 4, F.H.A., Exponent Staff, Perfect Attendance 10.

JOAN GORDON—"Sweet and Lovely"—Y-Teen 4, Cabinet 1, Librarian 2, F.H.A. 1, Prom Queen, Red Cross Council 1, Citizenship Honor Roll 2.

JOEMMALOU GROVES—"Happy Go Lucky"—Y-Teen 4, Girl's Glee Club, Librarian.

JOHN GRUBBS—"Is I Gotta Go to School, Ma?"—F.F.A. 3, Hi-Y 3, 4-H 2.

GLEN HUNT—"Show Me the Way to Go Home"—Hi-Y 3, F.F.A. 2, Track 2, Baseball 1, Class Officer 1, Boy's Glee Club, Citizenship Honor Roll 1.

ELOISE IRVIN—"A Friend of Mine"—Y-Teen 4, Class Officer 1, F.H.A. officer 2, Red Cross officer 1, Citizenship Honor Roll 3½, Scholastic Honor Roll 2½.



DON JARRETT—"Good Time Polka"—4-H 2, Basketball 1, Baseball 4, F.F.A., Captain Baseball 1.

JIM KUTTER—"Thou Swell"—Hi-Y 4, Basketball 2, Baseball 2, Track 2.

DONNA LAMB—"You're So Understanding"—Y-Teen 4, F.H.A., Red Cross, Senior Class Play.

BARBARA MAHONEY—"Hi Neighbor"—Y-Teen 4, Red Cross Council 1, Librarian 2, F.F.A. 1, Student Director of Jr. Play, Office Assistant, Honor Roll 9.

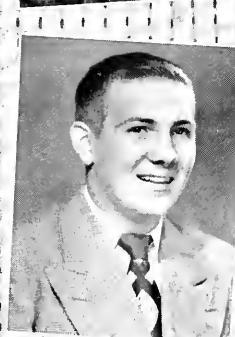
DON MYERS—"Who Stole My Heart Away?"—Hi-Y 4, F.F.A. 3, 4-H 4, Yell Leader 1.

PATTY SCOTT—"A-You're Adorable"—Y-Teen 4, Cabinet 2, Both Plays, Epitome Staff, Librarian.

BETTY JANE SMALL—"The Love Bug Will Bite You"—Scholastic Honor Roll 2, Citizenship Honor Roll 1, Attendance 10, Y-Teen 4, Librarian, Epitome Staff.

WILBUR SMITH—"The Best Things in Life Are Free"—Hi-Y 4, Senior Play, Track 1, F.F.A. 2.

DON STEFFENSON—"Dancing With a Dolly"—Baseball 2, Tennis 2, Track 1.



DON ULRICH—"He's a Jolly Fellow"—Glee Club 2, Hi-Y 4, F.F.A. 1, Exponent Staff.

DICK ULRICH—"My Ideal"—Basketball 2, Baseball 4, Hi-Y 4, Junior Class President, President of Hi-Y, Algebra, Geometry, Comprehension contests, Tennis team 2, Track 2, Honor Roll 1, Attendance 1.

JOYCE WALTERS—"You Red Head"—Y-Teen 4, Choir 3, Librarian $\frac{1}{2}$ year.

BILL WALTZ—"California Here I Come"—Hi-Y 4, F.F.A. 3, Vice President of F.F.A., 4-H President, and Glee Club.

HARRY WEAVER—"Ladies Man"—Hi-Y 4, Cabinet 2, Both Class Plays, Exponent Staff, Assistant Editor of the Epitome, Student Legislature (Purdue).

PHYLLIS WILSON—"Sophisticated Lady"—Y-Teen 4, Cabinet 1, Both Plays, Epitome Staff, Exponent Staff.

CARL WRIGHT—"Has Anybody Seen My Gal"—Hi-Y 4.

FAREWELL TO ALMA MATER

We, the Senior Class of "50", have finished the part of life's journey which holds in store the most fun and happiness for everyone.

As freshmen, our class did well, for out of it came two girls, Mary Cartmell and Dorothy Forrest, who were elected cheer leaders and have remained so throughout high school. Another high light was a trip to Cincinnati.

Our sophomore year, the class sold T-Shirts and eversharp pencils to raise our class bank roll.

As juniors, there was much to think about. We were proud, for we owned class rings, published two papers, staged the play "June Mad" under the direction of Mr. John C. Beasley and took a trip to Indianapolis to visit the state legislature with Mrs. Devine and Mr. Baughman. We honored the seniors with a prom, "Blue Shadows". Carl Cordell and Joan Gordon were crowned king and queen.

Then we were seniors, but it wasn't what we expected. The only difference was there were no upper classmen. Some wish they could start over.

The class provided fun for everyone with a carnival and the dramatic play "Patch-Work Quilt," again under the direction of Mr. John C. Beasley.

It is time to depart now to other cares of the world, so we, the half century class, wish to all classes lots of fun and good luck.



JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Front Row: B. Wiggins, Mr. Hunter, M. Lamar.

Second Row: J. Jarrett, F. Stohler.

Back Row: Mr. Beasley.

JUNIORS APPROACH LAST LEG

Three down and one to go; this Class of '51 has the stamina and drive to assure them success as seniors of the future.

In all activities and organizations they are very well represented. Certainly their efforts will never be forgotten. Co-operative, ingenious, and merrymaking have been their qualities. We have found it a pleasure to work with them for common achievements.

Yes, they have played an important role in making our school spirit "tick". After associating with them and observing their abilities and personalities, we believe they are capable of taking over the coveted position of being seniors.

We say from our hearts that we wish them the best of luck as we leave to them our cherished privilege of being seniors. We desire that they will not be satisfied with present and past records, but will earnestly endeavor to raise themselves and their school to higher and higher levels.

JUNIOR CLASS

Seated: D. Dailey, B. Bayles, B. McConnell, K. Gray, B. Shock.

Front Row: D. Parsons, F. Stohler, B. Lindley, C. Worl, N. Martin, J. Bookout, P. Hoover, A. Chapman, R. Eilar, B. Shank, B. Brown, J. Jarrett, D. Corbitt.

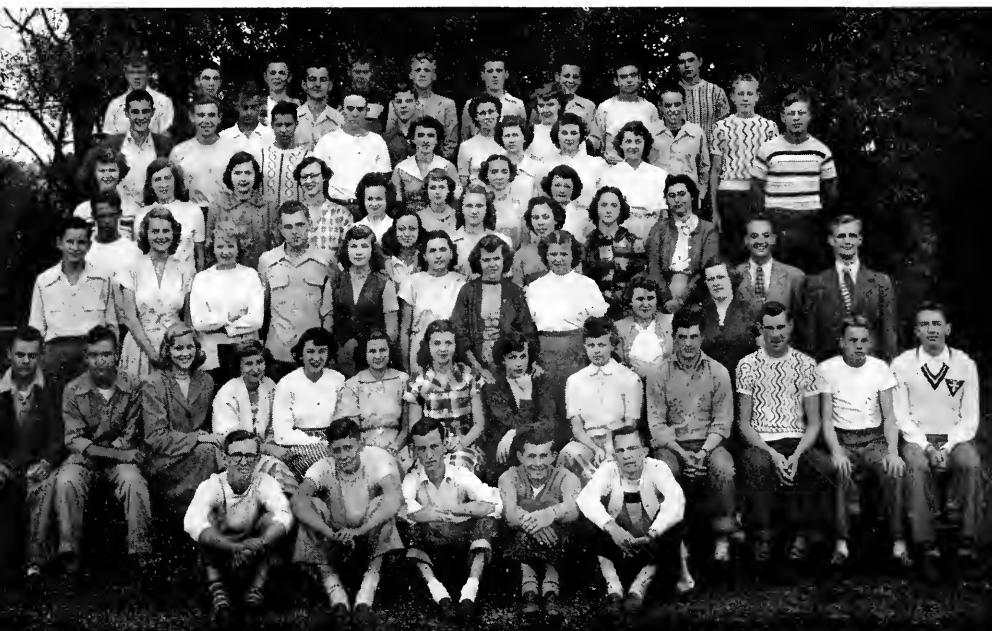
Second Row: D. Hinshaw, G. Miller, J. Werking, G. Sinex, B. Halstead, J. McGeorge, M. Seward, M. Cross, L. Coy, M. Messer, J. Jackson, Mr. Hunter, Mr. Beasley.

Third Row: B. Shank, M. Swoveland, W. Barnhart, M. Bulmer, L. Pollitt.

Fourth Row: D. Werking, D. Wright, B. O'Neel, K. Asche, G. Bicknell, B. Grubbs, M. Clark, P. Parsons.

Fifth Row: B. Wiggins, F. Moyer, G. Hilbert, B. Davenport, B. May, H. Hilbert, J. Finchum, S. Barnard, R. Wilson, V. Lamar, P. Dishman, N. Atkinson, J. Ulrich, J. Snyder.

Back Row: M. Lamar, J. Shock, P. Mitchell, J. Lindley, J. Kennedy, C. Lindley, B. Durbin, T. Bowman, B. Franklin, J. Sharp.





SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

Front Row: Mr. Wright, Mr. Mobley, G. Metsker.

Back Row: M. Sedgwick, E. Upchurch, J. Ulrich.

SOPHOMORES HAVE TWO MORE YEARS TO GO

The Sophomores are an up and coming class. This class of forty-eight members elected John Ulrich as their president. They are looking forward to the Prom next year and have already sold Christmas cards as a money making project toward this event. Probably this class is best known for the number of boys they have on the basketball teams. They have seven on the second team and Ernie Upchurch is a regular on the first team. We think the Sophomores are a swell class and we wish them lots of luck next year as Juniors.

SOPHOMORE CLASS

Front Row: P. Gray, E. Upchurch, Mr. Wright, Mr. Mobley, S. Doughty, R. Meeks

Second Row: B. Grubbs, I. Bertram, K. Gray, M. Stewart, S. Maddy, M. Sedgwick, M. Fitzharris, M. Walker, C. Gates.

Third Row: S. Small, M. Dodd, P. Chamness, M. Maxwell, B. Jarrett, C. McConnell, R. Pitts, R. House.

Fourth Row: P. Bond, D. Lamb, D. Goar, J. Ulrich, J. Ulrich, J. Shock, D. Swoveland, M. Hayes, E. Garvin.

Fifth Row: C. Dale, M. Brooks, C. Reese, E. Stockberger, V. Swearingen, B. Hodson, B. Creekbaum.

Back Row: D. Hilbert, C. Walters, G. Metsker, D. Wolums, G. Stenzle, H. Andrews, J. Charles, E. Lafever, J. Smith, G. Adkins.





FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS

Front Row: D. Van Ostrand.

Back Row: Mrs. Nichols, P. Shock, Mr. Nichols,
J. Litton, N. McCoy.

FRESHMAN CLASS

“They Are Able Because They Think They Are Able.” (Virgil)

Although this quotation was written long ago, it might very well have been written for the Freshman Class of 1950. They have shown themselves to be able not only in sports but in scholastic ability as well. Also they have taken part in the many social activities including their own class parties.

They began the year with an election of officers and sponsors. Neil McCoy, Pat Shock, James Litton, and Don Van Ostrand become officers. With the excellent guidance and help of their sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Nichols, the class has capably proven themselves.

The Freshman basketball team, coached by Mr. Nichols, has up and coming players from which, one may be sure, many future Tiger stars will come.

These 67 have started their high school activities well, and from all indications will continue in this same enthusiastic manner.

FRESHMAN CLASS

Front Row: T. Hensley, R. Sharp, M. A. Culy, M. L. Culy, B. Harris.

Second Row: M. Rhinehart, J. Burgess, P. Lindamood, N. Allen, J. Rhoades.

Third Row: T. Root, P. Davis, P. Shock, B. Owens, B. Sherwood, J. Peirce, P. Thalls.

Fourth Row: D. Davolt, S. Rinehart, P. Casada, J. Seffrin, P. Reynolds, J. Ritchie, L. Gordon, J. Woolard.

Fifth Row: M. Asche, J. Litton, J. Clark, P. Scott, H. Swoveland.

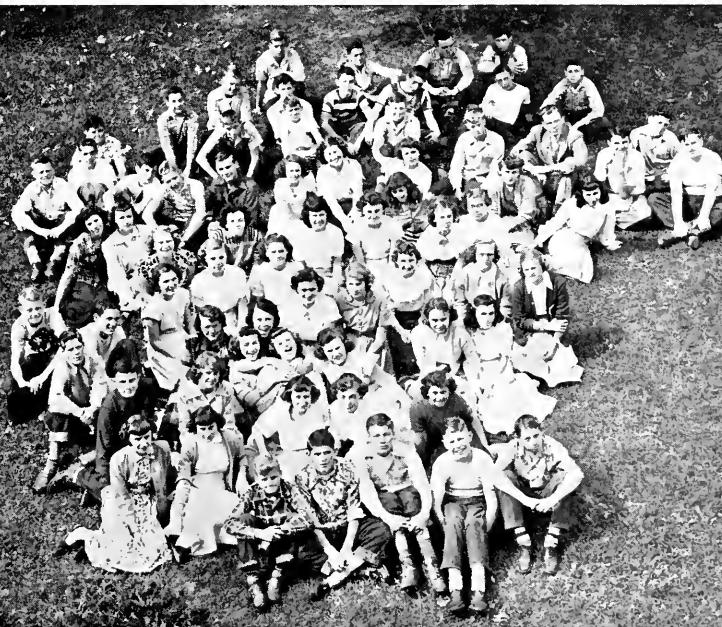
Sixth Row: P. Brown, M. Wilson, B. Hoover, J. Williams, M. Beeson, P. Lumpkin, E. Miller, J. Rowe, C. Brooks.

Seventh Row: J. Garard, B. Talbert, D. Stauble, B. Harter, D. Brown, M. White, C. Snyder, J. Rhoades, M. Marlatt, Mrs. Nichols, Sponsor.

Eighth Row: D. Wogaman, P. Pierce, B. Davis, R. Harris, F. Myers, Mr. Nichols, Sponsor, H. Shafer, G. Andrews.

Ninth Row: G. Nicholson, N. McCoy, B. Grigson, D. Van Ostrand, G. Wesley, S. Nossett, W. Rhodus.

Back Row: D. Combs, E. Buhl, R. Hammond, D. Wilson.



EIGHTH GRADE

Front Row: R. Jarrett, E. Johnson, C. Ramey, M. Timmons, B. Timmons, R. McAllister, B. Wesley.

Second Row: L. Ulrich, E. Rutherford, J. Bavender, B. O'Neil, D. Davission, D. Bland, E. Combs.

Third Row: G. Worley, M. Hensley, J. Oakerson, C. McCord, D. Lamb, M. Caldwell, J. Bulmer.

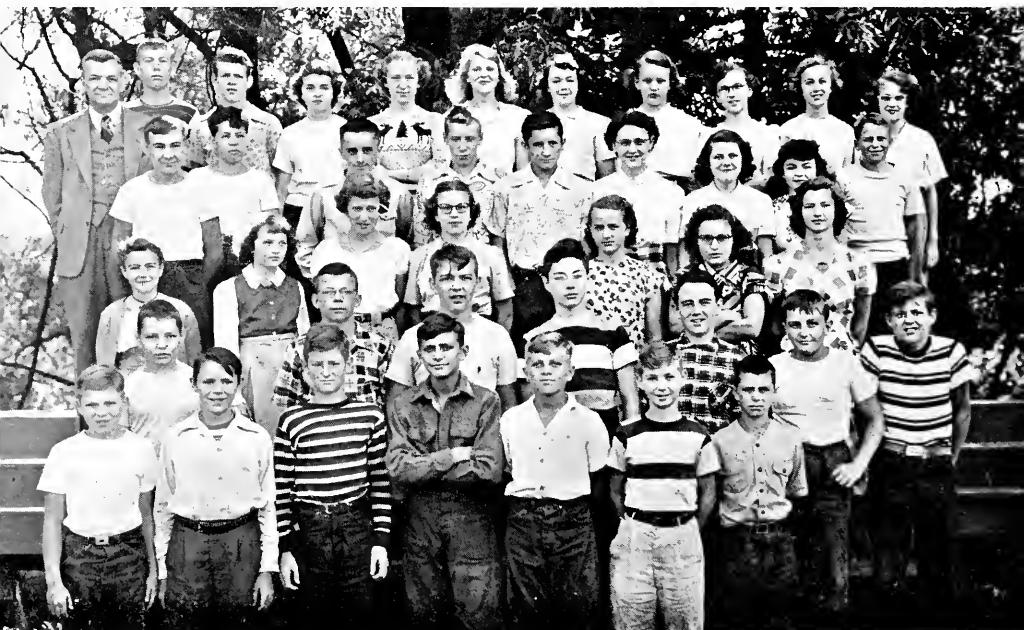
Fourth Row: F. Waltz, H. Dumbford, R. Gray, P. Wilson, H. Bulmer, D. Andrew, B. Leavell, B. Crull, D. Gordon.

Back Row: Mr. Sedgwick, L. Miller, D. Combs, A. Kentworthy, D. Belt, J. Siegvist, J. Davis, J. Troth, D. Taylor, P. Fuson, M. Martin.

Eighth Grade Class Officers

Front Row: Miss Price, R. Jarrett, Mr. Sedgwick, V. Creekbaum.

Back Row: F. Waltz, P. Wilson.



SEVENTH GRADE

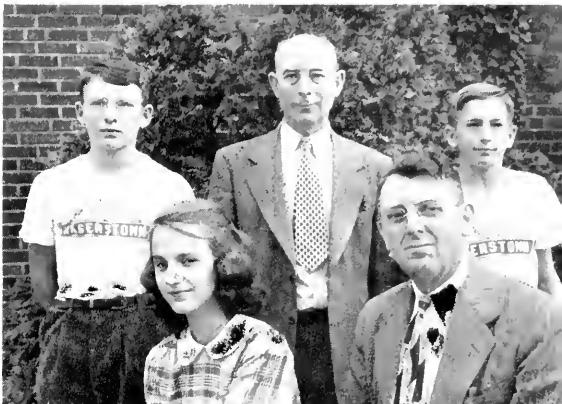
Front Row: R. Pierce, R. Ellis, W. Van Ostrand, D. McEwen, C. Wissener, J. Weber, F. Swoveland, J. McNelly, M. Craig, N. White, L. Ramey, M. Walker.

Second Row: J. Rhodus, L. Morrison, S. Taylor, S. Atkinson, M. Nicholson, J. Tuttle, E. Hays, C. Wogaman, F. Garvin, M. Gray, J. Lamar, F. Beeson, F. Clifton.

Third Row: R. Dale, E. Trisler, C. Andrew, J. Holmes, B. Hilbert, D. Gwin, D. Meeks, N. Watt.

Fourth Row: F. Bennett, P. Fox, B. Cromis, B. Brown, C. Ulrich, B. Craig, W. Prosser, P. Watt, J. Chapman, L. Greer.

Back Row: Mr. Lester, D. Austin, T. Wright, A. Bowman, W. Kerney, D. Weber, R. Hardwick, J. Rinehart, J. Martin, R. Davis, J. Swoveland, P. Sinex, J. McCullough, Mr. Barnhart.



Seventh Grade Class Officers

Front Row: J. Martin, Mr. Lester.

Back Row: D. Weber, Mr. Barnhart, J. Chapman.



H. H. S. CALENDAR — 1949-1950 DON'T TELL ME YOU FORGOT???

AUGUST

- 29 Freshman enrollment.
- 30 Sophomore enrollment.
- 31 Junior enrollment.

SEPTEMBER

- 1 Senior enrollment.
- 2 School opens 1:30 P.M. First baseball game here. H. H. S. 16, Economy 0.
- 5 Vacation already. Labor Day.
- 6 Class sponsors elected, class officers nominated. Baseball game here, H. H. S. 2, Whitewater 5.
- 7 Class officers elected.
- 8 H. H. vs. Fountain City. Score was 3 to 2. Epitome staff chosen.
- 9 Mobile X-Ray Unit here for Seniors.
- 12 Ball game here, Williamsburg 5, H. H. S. 16.
- 13 Enrollment this year is 335.
- 14 Freshman Initiation. Wow!! Those Tomatoes!!
- 16 Epitome staff plans year's work.
- 19 Cambridge City comes here and beats us 3-4.
- 20 Hirshburg came to start taking pictures. We hear the 8th grade had quite a party???
- 21 More pictures taken for the Epitome.
- 22 F. H. A. initiation. What pretty girls? H. H. S. vs. Boston and got beat 4-6.
- 26 We had a baseball game here with Centerville. They won 8-10.
- 27 Showing of Junior Class Rings.
- 29 We traveled to Greens Fork with our baseball team to beat them 6-3.
- 30 Chapel—Mr. Davis reading Riley's Poems. F.H.A. formal initiation.

OCTOBER

- 3 Junior Class Party. Need we say more?
- 4 Juniors have ring size taken.
- 5 Seniors take field trip to Richmond. Visit court house and jail.
- 6 We vs. Webster and lost 1-4.
- 7 Riley Day. Sophomore class party.
- 12 Y-Teen Mother and Daughter Tea.
- 13 Movie in gym on Fire Protection.
- 14 Chapel—Chaplain Gates addresses student body on Conn. State Prison.
- 19 We lost another ball game to Milton 2-3. Mrs Abbott gave book review on "Tales of South Pacific" to the Y-Teen and Hi-Y.
- 20 Y-Teen initiation.



21 Yell leader try outs. Who will get it???

24 Elected Mary Cartmell, John Sharp, and Dorothy Forrest as yell leaders.

26 Chapel—Professor Reagan of Earlham addressed student body.

27 and 28 No school. Teacher's Convention. Seniors have their pictures taken during the vacation.

31 Hallowe'en!!! Of all the dirty tricks!!

NOVEMBER

4 The BIG event of the year. The SENIOR CARNIVAL. Everything went off with a big BANG. Dorothy Forrest was crowned Queen!

7 Season basketball tickets go on sale. Try outs for Senior Play.

8 Chapel—John Dallavaux speaks on manners and self-discipline. Basketball game with Framland here. We won 43-36.

11 H. H. S. loses game to Pendleton, 42-57.

15 Hi-Y Father and Son Banquet held in gym.

16 Mr. Beasley announces Senior Play cast.

18 Hirshburg—more pictures! We beat Dunkirk this evening 31-26.

22 Junior paper "Wha Hoppened" went on sale. We lose game to Union City, 50-26.

24 and 25 Thanksgiving vacation.

28 Back to school from a very nice vacation.

29 Movie at noon in gym on football and basketball.

30 Report cards. We won a victory over Cambridge City, 53-34.

DECEMBER

2 Student legislature at Purdue. Our Senator was Harry Weaver and Mary Cartmell our Representative. Tigers were defeated by Brookville 24-48.

5 Chapel—Middle-weight Champion Boxer, Tony Zale, addressed student body. This is the beginning of the Golden Gloves.

6 Movie in gym on volley ball.

9 Tigers were defeated by Greenfield 41-63.

13 Tigers made good showing with Anderson but were defeated 37-58.

16 Look everyone—Juniors have class rings. We lost to Winchester 22-40.

20 Chapel—Bob Fribley addressed student body today on Christmas Spirits. Tigers downed Alexandria 50-45.

21 We lost a thriller at Rushville, 41-49.

23 Christmas program put on by music and speech departments. School dismissed early. The Y-Teens and Hi-Y went caroling in town.

JANUARY

3 School resumed for the New Year. Tourney tickets go on sale.

7 H. H. S. is host to Cambridge City, Centerville, and Union City. The Centerville Bulldogs are proud owners of the trophy.



10 Hirshburg just can't stay away. He is back for more pictures.
 11 Chapel—The Melody Four presented a program. We were defeated by Portland 48-56.
 13 Exciting game here with Knightstown. We won 29-27.
 17 and 18 Oh Brother—Semester Exams!!
 19 First day of the second semester.
 20 Tigers defeated by Centerville 34-43.
 21 Seniors select caps and gowns.
 25 Report cards to students—"Yes, Father."
 27 Tigers defeated Liberty 25-36 on Earlham floor.

FEBRUARY

3 Chapel—By music students. Tigers lost to Lawrenceburg, 52-30.
 4 Music contests at Ball State. Dale Clayton won 1st division in clarinet.
 6 Kent Morse was here to talk to Junior sand Seniors about their careers. Girls Tourney won by the Senior Girl.
 9 Senior Boys won the intra-mural tourney.
 10 Tigers defeated by Burris of Muncie, 61-50.
 15 Chapel—American Legion, "Americanism."
 17 Tigers won last ball game with Batesville, 56-50.
 22 Mr. J. R. Mitchell addressed student body on education.
 23-25 Sectional Tourney. Those who were fortunate enough to get tickets saw the Tigers play three thrilling games.

MARCH

3 The High School Operetta, "Meet Arizona." End of the 4th grading period.
 10 Mother and Daughter Banquet.
 17 F.H.A. and F.F.A. dance.
 24 East Central volley ball tourney. Won by Liberty.
 29 Hallelujah quartette.
 31 Junior Class Play, "Curse of an Aching Heart."

APRIL

1 Regional Math., Latin, and Band contests. F.H.A. District Conference. Barbara O'Neil elected State President F. H. A.
 4 Track meet, Greensfork-Williamsburg—Here.
 5 Golf meet, Batesville—Here.
 7 Tennis match, Connersville—There.
 10 Track meet Greensfork, F. C. Williamsburg.
 11 Track meet, Webster, K-town.
 12 Cole Marionettes.
 14 Elementary Spring Festival.
 15, 17 Golf meets—at Winchester, and New Castle—Here.
 18 Track meet, Sulphur Springs—Here.



19 Roman Banquet in Gym.
 21 County Track meet, at Cambridge City. Sophomore Dance.
 23, 24 Tennis match, Anderson and Muncie—Here
 25, 26 Track meet, Knightstown; and Golf, at New Castle.
 28 F.F.A. sponsors Renfro Valley Musical in Gym.
 East Central Conference track meet—Liberty.

MAY

3 Senior F.H.A. Banquet.
 5 Junior and Senior Prom.
 6 Golf match Washington (Indianapolis)—There.
 9 Tennis match, Muncie Central—golf, Richmond—There.
 13 Sectional Track meet—Richmond.
 19 Class and Honor Day.
 20 Golf Sectional—Indianapolis.
 21 Baccalaureate services, Auditorium.
 22 The 1950 EPITOME makes its debut.
 23, 24 Final exams—Tuesday a.m., p.m.; Wednesday a.m.
 25 Commencement, 8:15 p.m. Reverend Gaston Foote of Dayton addresses the Class of 1950.

CLASS WILL

We the Senior Class of 1950, do hereby make plans for our future. We have been here long enough so as we journey on we leave to you our last will and testament.

We leave to our fellow classmates the following:

Sally Baker wills her dramatic ability to Harold Hilbert providing he doesn't Act Up!!

Jim Beeson wills his glasses to Francis Stohler so he can see as much as Jim does.

Fred Bennett wills his height to Melvin Messer, providing he used it to his advantage.

Jerry Bertram wills Dale Clayton his car so he can drive to see Kay.

John Bond wills his ability to get along with Mr. Beasley to Smith Doughty. Mary Brown wills her "spelling" class to anyone who wishes to teach in "Alabama."

Mary Cartmell and Dorothy Forrest will give up their yell leader's uniforms to Joyce Burgess and Patty Lindamood if they do as good a job at keeping them for the 4 years as Mary and Dorothy did.



Peggy Casada wills her passes to any one person that thinks they can get as many as she did.

Rodney Clampitt leaves his Editor's job to any Junior that wants to get out of school as much as Rod did.

Fay Ann Clifton wills her office position to any girl who can do as good work for Mr. Baughman as Fay Ann did.

Jim Combs wills his desire to be a radio announcer to Dick Corbitt so Dick can make all the announcements over the P.A. system next year.

Betty Conwell wills her quietness to Margot Marlatt.

Carl Cordell wills his ability to play the trumpet to anyone lucky enough to play with Tommy Dorsey.

Rhea Jean Craig leaves her job of rolling up the sidewalks of Jacksonburg to Barbara Grubbs.

Jane Cromis wills her civics knowledge to anyone whose husband happens to work for the city.

Spade Culy wills two good slide rules, slightly used, to Mr. Nichols if he does a better job of finding them than Spade did.

Marcia Davisson wills her ability to sing over the loud-speaker to anyone who can yodel and sing 'La Cucaracha' at the same time.

Velma DeBruler wills her desire to be a lady "taxi driver" to Nancy Allen.

Fred Dilling wills two years of school to anyone who wants to take Ruth's place.

Don Dishman wills his quietness to Bill Franklin, providing he will be quiet in the 7th period assembly.

Darrell Doerstler wills his car to Ernie Upchurch providing he doesn't

Maxine Finchum wills her last semester of school to Rheta Eilar, providing she uses it.

Marty Foulke wills her "Golden Earrings" to anyone who wishes holes in their ears.

Ben Franklin leaves his "hot rods" to anyone interested in them.

Bonnie Fuson wills her Y-Teen job to some deserving Junior as she is joining the F.F.A.

Margaret Garvin leaves her basketball suit to her sister, Edith, providing she will win the class tourney when she is a Senior.

Joan Gordon wills her smile to Marthanna Rinehart providing she will use it.

Joemmalou Groves wills a vacation to California to anyone who wants to miss two weeks of school.



John Grubbs leaves his position of Jacksonburg Mayor to anyone capable of the job.

Glen Hunt wills his yellow and purple cords to Neil McCoy. Don't forget Neil, you can't wear them until you are a Senior.

Eloise Irvin wills her shorthand book back to "Gregg" because she believes he knows more about it than she does.

Don Jarrett wills his position in the office to Harlan Bulmer.

Jim Kutter wills his ability to get along with Miss Price to Bud Wiggins.

Donna Lamb wills her seat in the upper hall to Betty Shank so she can sell cafeteria tickets next year.

Barbara Mahoney wills her bookkeeping book to anyone that can keep up to date on it.

Don Myers wills his car to Don Hilbert so he can drive in to basketball practice next year.

Pat Scott wills her ability to get along with people to any one who will appreciate having a lot of friends.

Betty Jane Small wills her art displays to the New York Art Gallery.

Wilbur Smith wills his passes from shop to Verl Swearingen, providing he doesn't go to Mooreland on them.

Don Steffenson wills his little radio to "Stoop" Hilbert so he can play it for June.

Attention!! Dick Thalls says that he will leave his milk route to anyone that wants to get up at 3:00 A.M.

Dick Ulrich won't will Janel Sefrin to anyone as he plans on trying to keep her for himself.

Don Ulrich wills his ability to play basketball to Buddy Ulrich.

To Mr. Barnhart, Joyce Walters leaves her red hair. Don't you think it will be becoming??

Bill Waltz wills his ability to drive to Dick Parsons.

Harry Weaver wills his excuse for not having his assignments to Phil Bond.

Phyllis Wilson wills her hair to anyone that will take as good care of it as she does.

Carl Wright leaves his boots to Bill McConnel if Bill will wear them when he goes to see Reba.

We sign this precious document on May 25, 1950.

Signed:
Senior Class of '50



CLASS PROPHECY

If we were to take a pessimistic attitude, a prophecy of our class for the year 1975 would consist of but a few words: "Everybody killed by ferocious warfare."

We are optimistic enough to believe that at least most of us will be here in twenty-five years. So here goes:

Hagerstown, Indiana, isn't Hagerstown anymore, it is Weaverwood, Earth. There is no Indiana or even a United States, for that matter, for we have but one government in the world today. As for Weaverwood, that came from Harry Weaver, our first representative in the World Government. Weaverwood is a thriving metropolis of about 14,768 people. But this is to be a prophecy of the Class of '50 not a history of a town, so let us proceed.

Not all the members of the class are still in Weaverwood. Most notable in this category is Eloise Irvin, secretary to President Abcdef. The accent is on the "A". Also out of town are Marcia Davisson Flurl and Sally Baker Esk, stars of the Bostonnaire (unlegitimate) stage. Rod Clampitt is now a chemical research engineer testing the effects of a cup of Caffeine-less coffee on a cool couple cuddling in a Cuban kitchen. His co-worker is Martha Foulke. Mary Brown is living in isolation down under the Gulf. Pat Scott is married to the coach at P.V.I. and Mary Cartmell is still struggling through the College of the Trees. Hunting for some SAP.

We now pause for a few moments of reverence for one honored dead and missing.

Dorthy Forrest committed suicide upon the re-release of "Stromboli." Heaven only knows what happened to Dope Doerstler and Bill Waltz. Jimmy Combs, a well known radio commentator, was assassinated after telling Ben Franklin, no relation to the kite-flying Ben Franklin, to go fly a kite. Ben's gunman, John Grubbs, is still on the loose. Dick Thalls drowned early in 1952 when he stuck his head in a milk bottle to see if he could hear the ocean roar. Bonnie Fuson hasn't been seen since graduation. (Report is, however, that she lives near Economy with her husband, Lowell Farmer.)

Everyone else that is still alive lives in or near Weaverwood. After a moment of silent meditation we'll continue with a brief preview into the lives of those remaining.



Carl Cordell is acting president of the local Alcoholics Anonymous chapter. Among active members are Betty Conwell, restaurant owner, and John Bond, Bachelor Upon Mercy (B.U.M.) Don Dishman, Don Myers, Don Ulrich, Don Jarrett, and Don Steffenson are on the local police force. It looks like the "Dicks" have changed to "Dons". Betty Small is designing a new police station and Ed Culy has made a police car with a city jail combined. City jail, that's synonymous with Peggy Casada and Jim Kutter, local kleptomaniac and firebug, respectfully. Gene Dilling, local miser, now sleeps on mattresses made of \$10 bills and pillows made of \$100 bills, having somehow evaded taxes long enough to save this much money. Velma DeBruler and Janie Cromis, our married set, made the prophecy easier by raising two fine families. But Maxine Finchum McFarland, and a few other names, didn't stay married. After her fourth husband she decided to get smart. Now she proudly carries her single, still shapely, figure down the streets of Weaverwood's west side. "Dainty" Donna Lamb and "Bouncing Bubbles" Barbara Mahoney are our local television stars. They wrestle every Monday night with any and all comers. Carl Wright, fight promoter, has arranged fights for them with the women's "Australian Tag" champs of the world. NOTE: Dope Doerstler and Bill Waltz have just been spotted playing "Chicken" in their "hot rods". All people in the vicinity of 40° Latitude should take special safety precautions.

Joyce Walters and Glen Hunt have been voted the city's best saleslady and salesman respectively. Joyce sold 1/2 dozen radios to a deaf mute, and Glen sold 3 television sets to a blind beggar. Wilbur Smith has the world's most unique business, a drive-in barber and manicure shop. He cuts the hair and Margaret Garvin gives the manicures. Also, as part of this business, Jerry Bertram gives a car wash and motor tune-up. If you don't have a date by this time, Joan Gordon runs a date bureau in the pay-as-you-leave booth. Wib got his start shearing sheep. This is just another proof.

Phyllis Wilson has just retired after 10,000,000 miles in the air as an air line stewardess. Some people predict that this is as close as she will ever get to heaven. Fred Bennett was very unpredictable. Everybody thought he would either get married or own a chain of Drug stores. Now, however, he runs the business of cleaning spitoons in Weaverwood and surrounding territory. Dick Ulrich lived up to the expectations of his "pool buddies" by defeating Willie Boppy for the pocket billiard championship of the world. Dick got all fifteen balls on the break. After the contest he had but one comment. "What's that chalk for?" A newspaper article reads "Fay Ann Clifton sues Rhea Craig for damages." It seems Rhea's 1975 Roosevelt Convertible collided with Fay's '74 model Lincoln Urban and Interurban. Like we thought, they each married a prosperous farmer. James Edward Beeson, Fire Chief, has



estimated that the average life of a fireplug has been increased by 25 years since the eradication of dogs in 1957. Joemmalou Groves has taken over where Emily Post left off. Her latest rule of etiquette is, "One should say 'excuse me' only as loud as one belches."

FLASH—Dope Doerstler and Bill Waltz are now the co-champions of "Chicken." They were both very courageous and finished their careers undefeated. The funeral is next Friday. Killer Grubbs' trail has been picked up by radar. Chief Don Ulrich believes he should be shot on sight.

Well, that takes care of the future of the Class of 1950. In reading the above events, please bear in mind that any resemblance between this prophecy and any actual happening is purely coincidental.

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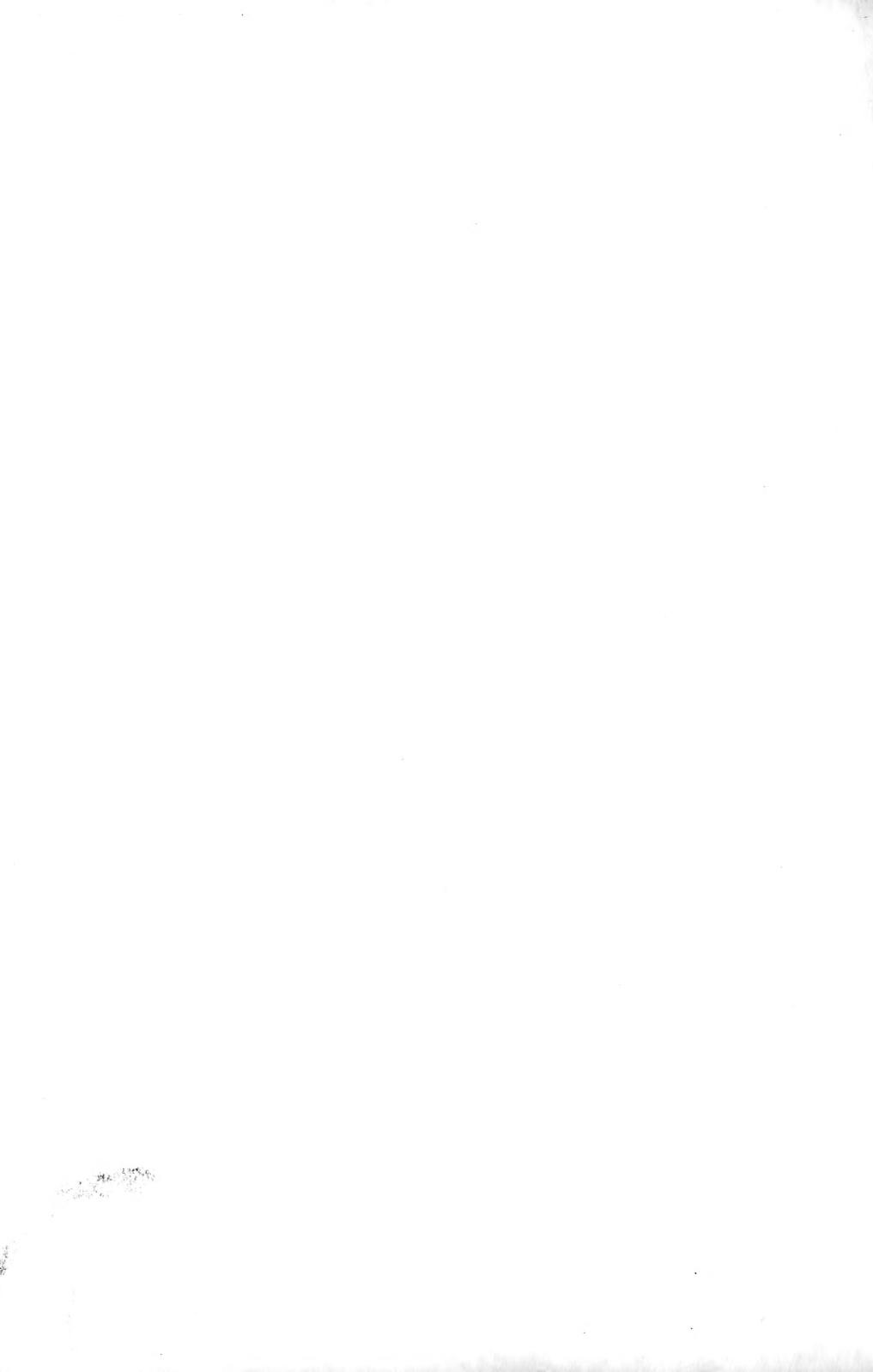
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Commencement

Hagerstown-Jefferson Township High School

Thursday, May 25, 1950

8:15 p.m. D.S.T.

Program

Under the Double Eagle March	Wagner
Confidence March	James Story
When Day Is Done	Katcher-Yoder High School Band
Processional "Pomp and Circumstance"	Elgar High School Band
Invocation	Rev. H. H. Short
Plenty Good Room (Spiritual)	Arr. Smith
All Thy Works Praise Thee	Charlotte Lockwood High School Chorus
Address "Life in Four Dimensions"	Dr. Gaston Foote
Majesty Overture	Charles O'Neill High School Band
Presentation of Class	John H. Baughman
Presentation of Diplomas	Frank M. Cory
Alpine Holiday Overture	Clifford P. Barnes High School Band
Benediction	Rev. Fred Murray
Recessional "Pomp and Chivalry"	Roberts High School Band

